

My Little Bimbo

Down On The Bamboo Isle

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Allegretto

f *fz*

till ready *p*

Sail-or Bill Mc-Coy, was a dar-ing sail-or boy, His ship got wreck'd a-
Will-iam's boss said "Bill," a Captain's job you'll fill, Up-on a ship bound

while, on a Fee-jee-ee-jee Isle. He led a sav-age life, and
North, to-day it's sail-ing forth. A Cap-tain's job is fine, but

hun-ted with a knife, He said I'll tell you a-bout it don't tell my wife.
Bill said, "I de-cline," I'll take half pay as a sail-or on that ship of mine.

Handwritten Chords: Eb, Fm7, Bb7, Eb 1, Cm/3, F7(3), F7(4), Bb7(5), Bb7, Bb7(6), Cm/Eb, 7 C/E, Bb7/F, Eb 9, Cm/10, Bb7, Bb 12, F7 13, F7 14, F7 15, Bb7 16.

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CHORUS

E^b 17 E^o B^b7 18 E^b 19 E^b 20 G^b^o B^b7 21

I've got a bim-bo down on the Bam-boo Isle _____ She's wait-ing there for me _____

B^b7 22 E^b 23 E^b 24 B^b7 $F^{\#^o}$ E^b/G 25 E^b E^o B^b 26 G 7

— Be-neath a bam-boo tree — Be-lieve me she's got the oth-er bim-bos beat a -

C^o 27 $Cm/F7$ Cm 28 G^b7 B^b/F 29 $F7$ 30 B^b7 31 A^b/B^b B^b7 32

mile _____ She dan-ces gay-ly, dai-ly she'd be a hit with Bar-num Bail-ey

E^b 33 E^o B^b7 34 Cm B^b7 E^b 35 E^b 36 G^b^o B^b7 E 37

I'll build a bun-ga - loo on the Bamboo Isle _____ 'Cause when I go a-gain _____

Bb7 *F* 38 *G7* 39 40 *Bb7* *Eb* 41 *Eb7* 42

I'll stay a - while I've seen wrecks, Plen - ty of wrecks

Eb7 43 *Eb7* 44 *Ab* 45 *Db7* 46

out on the storm y sea But by heck there nev er was a wreck like the

Db7 47 *Db* 48 *Cb7* *Eb/Bb* 49 *Eb* *E°* *Bb/50* *Eb* 51 *Bb/Db* *C7* 52 *L5*

wreck she made of me For all she wore was a great big Zu-lu smile

F7 53 *Bb7* 54 *Bb* 55 *Cm7* 56 *Bb7* 57 58

My lit-tle bim-bo down on the Bam-boo Isle. Isle

Fm7/Eb *Fm7* *Eb* *Eb* *fz*

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